

27. (Three Times Amended) A method for monitoring an image picked up

by a camera connected to a network, comprising the steps of:

obtaining information concerning parameters of the camera including unchanging parameters and parameters whose conditions are changed by user's operation in accordance with starting up a monitoring terminal and obtaining information concerning said parameters whose conditions are changed by user's operation except for said unchanging parameters of the initial parameters of said camera after the initial startup; and

displaying on a screen, the camera-status on the basis of the parameters of said camera which are obtained by the obtaining step.

43. (Three Times Amended) A computer readable medium of monitoring

terminals for monitoring an image picked up by a camera having computer usable program said program comprising the steps of:

obtaining information concerning parameters of the camera including unchanging parameters and parameters whose conditions are changed by user's operation connected to a network in accordance with starting up said monitoring terminal and obtaining information concerning said parameters whose conditions are changed by user's operation except for said unchanging parameters of the initial parameters of the camera after the initial startup; and

displaying on a screen, the camera status on the basis of the parameters of said camera.

65. (Twice Amended) A method for informing a monitoring terminal of

information concerning a camera connected to a network, comprising the steps of:

informing a monitoring terminal of information concerning parameters of said

camera including an unchanging parameter and a parameter whose condition is changed by user's operation in accordance with starting up said monitoring terminal; and

informing said monitoring terminal of information concerning said parameter whose condition changes except for said unchanging parameter of said camera after the initial start up.

66. (Amended) The method according to claim 65, wherein the parameters including at least one of a position and an attitude of said camera.

67. (Twice Amended) An apparatus for informing a monitoring terminal of information concerning a camera connected to a network, comprising:

obtaining device arranged to obtain information concerning said camera; and

informing device arranged to inform said monitoring terminal of information concerning parameters of the camera including an unchanging parameter and a parameter whose condition is changed by user's operation in accordance with starting up said monitoring terminal obtained by said obtaining device and inform said monitoring terminal of information concerning said parameter whose condition changes except for said unchanging parameter of the parameters of said camera after the initial start up.

68. (Amended) The apparatus according to claim 67, wherein the parameters including at least one of a position and an attitude of said camera.

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Please Add new claims 73-79.

73. (New) A computer readable medium of an apparatus for informing a monitoring terminal of information concerning a camera having computer user program, said program comprising the steps of:

informing a monitoring terminal of information concerning parameters of said camera including an unchanging parameter and a parameter whose condition is changed by user's operation in accordance with starting up said monitoring terminal; and

informing said monitoring terminal of information concerning said parameter whose condition changes except for said unchanging parameter of said camera after the initial start up.

74. (New) The monitoring terminal according to claim 3, wherein said unchanging parameters includes a position of said camera and said parameters whose conditions are changed by user's operation includes at least one of panning, tilting and zooming.

75. (New) The method according to claim 27, wherein said unchanging parameters include a position of said camera and said parameters whose conditions are changed by user's operation includes at least one of panning, tilting and zooming.

76. (New) The computer readable medium according to claim 43, wherein said unchanging parameters includes a position of said camera and said parameters whose conditions are changed by user's operation includes at least one of panning, tilting and zooming.

77. (New) The method according to claim 65, wherein said unchanging parameter includes a position of said camera and said parameter whose condition is changed by user's operation includes at least one of panning, tilting and zooming.

78. (New) The apparatus according to claim 67, wherein said unchanging parameter includes a position of said camera and said parameter whose condition is changed by user's operation includes at least one of panning, tilting and zooming.